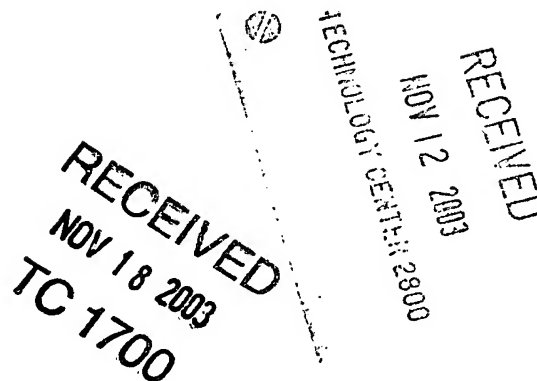


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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated April 9, 2003 and includes a request for a three month extension of time, extending the time for response to October 9, 2003.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.